Regime Grooms Onassis, Rumor

ROME (AP) — Two Italian newspapers carried reports that the military-backed Greek regime was grooming Aristotle Onassis for the presidency of Greece.

Il Messaggero, on Saturday morning, and Friday Momento Sera said such reports were persistent in Athens. Both papers dwelled on the prospect that Onassis' new wife, formerly Jacqueline Kennedy, would again be a nation's first lady.

The Greek constitution provides for a premier and a king or regent but does not provide for a president.

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